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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Masaya YAMAMOTO et al.**

Art Unit: **2834**

Application Number: **10/582,944**

Examiner: **Michael Andrews**

Filed: **May 18, 2007**

Confirmation Number: **6579**

For: **A MOVING MAGNET TYPE LINEAR ACTUATOR HAVING A MAGNETIC
BACK YOKE FIXED WITH RESPECT TO A STATOR UNIT**

Attorney Docket Number: **062528**

Customer Number: **38834**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCESSING REQUESTED

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Commissioner for Patents

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January 28, 2010

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2009, and having a response due date set for January 2, 2010. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

A concurrently filed one-month Petition for Extension of Time extends the period of response to end on February 2, 2010.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.